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REQUEST FORM FOR
APPLICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 111(a)

DOCKET NUMBER: 1509-219A

Prior Application:

Art Unit: 4355

Examiner: Daniel St. Cyr

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for filing a Continuation application under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) of pending UNITED STATES Patent Application No. 09/937,021 filed on 9/20/2001, entitled INTELLIGENT MEDIA READER AND LABEL PRINTER, by the following named inventors GOLD, STEPHEN, and CRIGHTON, IAN PETER.

1. ☒ A copy of the English language translation of the above-identified International application as filed (35 U.S.C. 37(c)(2) is attached.
 - a. 25 pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract
 - b. 7 sheet(s) of formal drawings
2. ☒ Oath or Declaration
 - a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
 - i. ☐ Deletion of inventor(s)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
3. ☒ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 2b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 2b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
4. ☒ Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
5. ☒ Cancel claims: 2-13,
6. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 Form are submitted herewith.
7. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

--This application is a continuation of UNITED STATES Application No. 09/937,021 filed 9/20/2001, which claims priority to EP Application No. 99302266.4 filed March 24, 1999, and PCT GB00/00676 filed February 25, 2000.--

8. ☒ Priority of EP Application Serial No. 99302266.4 filed on March 24, 1999, and PCT International Application PCT/GB00/00676 is claimed under 35 USC 119.
9. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 4 and 5 above:

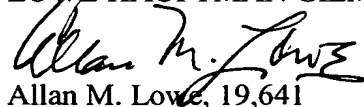
	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	26	MINUS 20	6	x \$18 =	\$ 108.00
Independent Claims	5	MINUS 3	2	x \$86 =	\$ 172.00
Basic Application Fee					\$ 770.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$290.00					
Total Application Fee					\$ 1,050.00
Subtract ½ if small entity					
TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE					\$ 1,050.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A credit card authorization form to cover the filing fees is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including patent application filing fees and processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 07-1337 . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check No. _____ is enclosed to cover the filing fees.					

10. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any extension of time fees to maintain the pendency of the parent application No. or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1337.
11. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to Hewlett Packard Development Corporation
12. ☒ The power of attorney in the prior application is to: Customer Number 22429

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DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

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U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.

PCT/GB00/00676

INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE

25 February 2000 (25.02.2000)

PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED

24 March 1999 (24.03.1999)

TITLE OF INVENTION

INTELLIGENT MEDIA READER AND LABEL PRINTER

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US

Stephen GOLD and Ian Peter CRIGHTON

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☐ This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4. ☒ A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. ☒ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)
6. ☐ A English translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
 - a. ☐ is attached hereto
 - b. ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154 371 (c)(2)
7. ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a. ☐ are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendment has NOT expired.
 - d. ☐ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ A English translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10. ☐ A English translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11. to 20. below concern other document(s) or information included:

11. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. ☒ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. ☐ A FIRST preliminary amendment.
14. ☐ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
15. ☐ A substitute specification.
16. ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
17. ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825
18. ☐ A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4)
19. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4)
20. ☒ Other items or information.
 - a. Amendments to the Specification under PCT Article 34.

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21. ☒ The following fees are submitted:**Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)):**

Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO and International Search Report not prepared by the EPO or JPO \$ 1000.00

International Search fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but International Search Report prepared by the EPO and JPO \$ 860.00

International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO \$ 710.00

International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) but all claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$ 690.00

International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) And all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(2)-(4) \$ 100.00

ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =

CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY

\$ 860.00

Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than ☐ 20 ☐ 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).

\$ 0.00

CLAIMS

NUMBER FILED

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RATE

Total Claims

14 - 20 =

0

X \$18.00

\$ 0.00

Independent Claims

2 - 3 =

0

X \$78.00

\$ 0.00

Multiple dependent claim(s) (if applicable)

+ \$260.00

\$ 0.00

TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =

\$ 860.00

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.

\$ 0.00

SUBTOTAL =

\$ 0.00

Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than the ☐ 20 ☐ 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).

\$ 0.00

TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =

\$ 860.00

Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property

+

\$ 40.00

TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =

\$ 900.00

Amount to be:
refunded

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a. ☐ A check in the amount of \$ XXX.XX to cover the above fees is enclosed.

b. ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. XXX in the amount of \$ XXX to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

c. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1337. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

c. ☒ Fees are to be charged to a credit card **WARNING:** information on this form may be public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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